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1 p. m.—Morning Prayer.
7.30 p. m.—Even Song.

The Cranbrook Herald states that up to July 30th 600 cars have visited their campsite. Fernie seems to be holding its own with the tourist business as we have had at least that number at our own camp.

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VETERANS TO CELEBRATE

The local branch of the G. W. V. A. are staging Amateur Athletic Sports on Labor Day, Sept. 7th, and are looking forward to being one of the seasons events in this City. Already inquiries are being made from outside points for information as to said event coupled with the D. O. K. K. ceremonial. This should bring large crowds into the City, there being no counter attractions in the district on that date. Some of the Fraternal Orders have expressed their willingness to take part in the monster parade which they are endeavoring to put on in the morning prior to said sports. The Knights of Pythias Lodge have also donated a silver cup to be competed for by the various lodges.

From the experience of the past two years, the parade has been the unfortunate feature of the day's proceedings, and it is to be hoped that by a concerted effort on the part of the citizens of Fernie, that this difficulty may be overcome.

A special appeal is made to all public bodies and citizens in general to render every possible means to make the day a successful one, in doing so they will be assisting a very worthy cause.

Since the formation of the local branch, it has been endeavoring to secure remedial measures, so that the Pension Act and its administration might be in consonance with the desires of the people, had the G. W. V. A. been a selfish institution seeking only the advancement of its own membership, no financial difficulties would be encountered, such a course however, would have at once deprived it of its present high standing, respect and value in the life of the nation, and in the hearts of ex-service men and dependents throughout the Dominion.

It being an established fact that ninety-five per cent. of the claims in which the association has been successful in having adjusted by various government departments, were claims from non-members, in other words, it has actually jeopardized its very existence, through voluntary services to all who needed help irrespective of financial support or moral obligation, but the organization does not begrudge this form of assistance to those outside its ranks and will continue to render such service if ways and means can be provided.

Had not the G. W. V. A. shouldered the burden in the past, the responsibility, the obligation, the expense, would directly have fallen upon the Country as a whole. To any fair minded person it is apparent that the public owes much to the unselfish activity of the association on behalf of those who appeal for help could not be disregarded.

True, mistakes have been made by the organization but even these were only the result of over-zeal that was perhaps fanned by the actual knowledge of much injustice.

By reason of its wide experience no other agency could replace the service that is still required by thousands of war sufferers unaided by its Dominion wide organization many would be at a complete loss in securing adjustment to claims, particularly in this true of the widows and orphaned children of the fallen. Hence it devolves upon all as a solemn duty to preserve intact the full measure of service heretofore given, for in it we have a potent power for good, not only for those who are members, but for all who served their country in time of need, in this every citizen should take a share, and I am confident that with this object in view, all will rally to so worthy a cause. The sports meetings will be open to those citizens interested and their assistance will be greatly appreciated. Watch the boards for notice of meetings.

Twenty Fernie Boy Scouts are now under canvas at Packham Lake Camp where Scouts from every troupe in the East Kootenay are enjoying a two weeks outing. Commissioner Scarlett and Scoutmaster Sykes of Victoria, both graduates of the Gillwell Scout Training Camps, are in charge of the camp and are assisted by three Scoutmasters from Cranbrook, one from Fernie and one from Michel.

MINE SAFETY COMPETITIONS

Results in the East Kootenay Mine Safety Association competitions held at the Mine Rescue Station on Saturday afternoon, Aug. 1st, were as follows:

Mine Rescue Work: First prize and the Hon. D. J. H. King Shield—Coal Creek, J. Caulfield, Capt. W. Cockburn, J. G. Haile, J. H. Parker, J. Graham. Second prize—Fernie, W. Hynds, Capt. J. Mutter, A. Hilton, N. Cockburn, J. Charnock. Third prize—Michel, M. D. McLean, Capt. A. Smith, R. Bonar Jr., F. Yates, A. Ball. Five teams competed, the winning team, Coal Creek, by capturing first place in this competition are the selection from East Kootenay to compete in the big competition to be held at Nanaimo next month.

Senior First Aid: First prize and the Fernie Rotary Club Shield—Coal Creek "A"; J. Larmon, Capt. J. Hall, A. Arrowsmith, W. Walls, T. Walls. Second prize—Fernie, J. Taylor, Capt. J. Mutter, A. Williams, T. McGuire. Third prize—H. Billsborough, Capt. R. Workman, T. Branch, T. Slee. Five teams competed.

Ladies First Aid: First prize—Michel: Miss McGovern, Capt. Second prize—Coal Creek, Mrs. Miller, Capt. Three teams competed.

HON. DR. KING VISITS FERNIE

The Hon. Dr. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works for the Dominion, spent Tuesday in the City, coming in on his private car with Mrs. King.

Quite a number of the faithful were on hand to receive the Doctor and every effort is being made by local Liberals to convince him that East Kootenay is the logical place for him to represent at the forthcoming Dominion election, the date of which has not yet been fixed.

Speaking of Home Bank affairs the Honorable Doctor expressed deep regret that the Senate had taken the action they had in connection with the bill, but as the Hon. Arthur Meighen had taken a stand against the measure the House of Commons had little option in the matter as it was almost essential that the relief bill be put through in the regular way. However, he was firmly of the opinion that the vast majority of the depositors would have no trouble in securing the 35 per cent. as provided by the Act.

Speaking of the prospects of a steel industry for Fernie, Mr. King was of the opinion that should the promoters desire any assistance from the Government they would receive every consideration at Ottawa as the MacKenzie-King Government was pledged to foster the natural resources of the country in every possible way. He was thoroughly of the opinion that there was a mountain of iron ore in the Kitchener district which only awaited enterprise of the necessary capital.

During their stay in the City the Hon. Doctor and Mrs. King were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Fisher, and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Lawe, who entertained them.

An old Fernie boy died a couple of weeks ago in the Toronto General Hospital in the person of William Bromley, who for many years was an employee of the Fernie-Fort Steele Brewing Co. in this City. Deceased who was well known in the city and a prominent member of the Fernie Club, was a veteran of two wars. As a young man he fought all through the Boer trouble and enlisted with the first contingent from Fernie, who left here in August, 1914 for Val Cartier to serve in the Great War. He put in three years in the front line trenches when he was wounded and invalided home to England. After recovering he was taken on the clerical staff at headquarters where he served for the balance of the war. Deceased left Fernie a couple of years ago for Toronto, where he resided until the time of his death. He was suffering from a mastoid and died while undergoing an operation.

Chief Anderson left the city Wednesday evening for Red Deer, Alberta, where he will spend his two weeks vacation.

KIDDIES DAY BIG SUCCESS

The Elks first annual Flag and Kiddies Day was a knock-out.

The largest aggregation of kiddies ever assembled at one time in Fernie marched down Victoria Ave.

Led by the Pipers Band, fully two thousand kiddies, each carried a flag and a happy smile, the Elks acted as a body guard dressed in their white and purple uniforms and made a very pleasing appearance on their way to the City Park.

Ten thousand tickets were handed to the kiddies and they consumed four thousand ice cream cones, four thousand cups of lemonade and two thousand bags of peanuts.

A grand rush for the refreshment booths kept the committees in charge busy fully two hours before the rush was over.

Rev. Burns gave the Flag Day address in his usual good style after which the games started.

Bill Thompson had his hands full with his dancing girls and different races.

At 2.30 p. m. Coal Creek Jr's. showed Fernie how to play football, however, in baseball the 150 team came back strong and won their game making it a 0-50 break.

The burlesque football artists were now ready and captains Klauer and Berigan lined up their respective warriors on the field of battle in every conceivable costume from silk bloomers (where did you get yours Mickey) to sack skirts, and captain Klauer sure wore that bathing costume.

Commanding the pipers, they staged their parade around the grounds, before the battle royal. During the battle Teddy Hesketh was kept busy giving first aid to the fallen warriors.

There was a nigger in the wood pile somewhere, it looked like the game was framed to end in a draw. How about that supper, eh?

Bill was still busy with his races and the greased pig event was put on after 5 p. m. Mr. Parker had a hard time getting a clear field but made a good run for it when he got started, however, Bob Williams got a strange hold on him and will have pork chops for breakfast.

The other events were all fully enjoyed as a continued hal-hal came floating over our way.

The Elks wish to thank Rev. Burns, the Pipers' Band, Dancing girls, Ted Hesketh, first aid, the Coal Co. for donating a special train to bring down the Coal Creek kiddies, and all others who helped to make their first annual Flag Day such a huge success. Elko kiddies came in cars decorated for the event.

The following is the prize list for the different events:

Boys' races, 4 to 5 years—1st Mike Amanto, 2nd T. Anselmo, 3rd G. Barrett.
6 to 7 years—1st A. Savero, 2nd A. Wood, 3rd S. Fleming.
8 to 9 years—1st H. Kasmer, 2nd T. Rudinski, 3rd F. Costanzo.
11 to 15 yrs.—1st G. McGill, 2nd A. Amanto, 3rd A. Picco.
11 to 13 yrs.—1st F. Boasio, 2nd R. Costanzo, 3rd E. Elestock.
14 to 15 yrs.—1st J. Dorar, 2nd R. Williams, 3rd A. LaSalle.
Relay race, under 14—1st J. Ror ar's team, 2nd R. Williams' team 3rd A. Rizzuto's team.
Three legged race, under 10—1st F. Hughes team, 2nd J. Wasnock team, 3rd J. Hughes team.
Wheel barrow treadle race, 15 and under—1st Perkin's team, 2nd Lowe's team, 3rd R. Costanzo's team.
Boxing on pole, 13 and under—1st E. Gordon.
Girls' races, 4 to 5 yrs.—1st F. Whitehouse, 2nd D. Wood, 3rd M. Gilhe.
6 to 7 yrs.—1st M. Aedari, 2nd M. Julia, 3rd G. Arbuckle.
8 to 9 yrs.—1st M. Minchuk, 2nd M. Corlett, 3rd E. Whitehouse.
10 to 11 yrs.—1st G. Lowe, 2nd H. Hughes, 3rd M. Peter.
12 to 13 yrs.—M. Smith, 2nd M. Chubra, 3rd M. Corlett.
14 to 15 yrs.—1st E. Schram, 2nd M. Buchanan, 3rd F. Mills.
Pillow fight on pole—F. Hughes.
Shoe scramble, 15 and under—1st M. Maffioli, 2nd M. Taylor, 3rd A. Hoffman.

CITY FATHERS DISCUSS LIGHTS

The City Council met in regular session at the Council Chambers last evening with Mayor Irvine in the chair, Aldermen Tully, Markland, Stewart and Lees present.

An application from the G. W. V. A. for the use of the City Park for the purpose of holding sports on Labor day was read and a motion passed granting this request.

The City Clerk, in accordance with instructions given at a previous meeting, submitted an estimate of \$3,200 as the approximate cost of placing 17 electric lights on the four business blocks in the city. The council thoroughly discussed this question and finally decided that in view of the heavy roads improvement program undertaken this year that it was practically impossible to finance the proposed lighting improvements at present. The City Clerk was instructed to place all data he had procured on file, so that any future council wishing to open this question at any time would have all particulars before them.

The City Electrician in his monthly report stated that transformers, which were supplied both lighting and electrical heating equipments in dwelling houses at several points in the city were considerably over-loaded and recommended the purchase of several new transformers and meters at an approximate cost of \$366.78 to remedy this defect in the system.

A motion was passed authorizing the City Clerk to purchase the necessary equipment.

A check from the July 1st Sports Committee for \$65.00 was accepted by the Council in full settlement against an outstanding account against that committee for their portion of the expenditure incurred in 1923 in building a temporary swimming pool at the City Park.

Mayor Irvine reported that he had been requested by the Swimming Pool Committee to place before the Council a request from that body for a loan of one thousand dollars so that they might be able to complete the swimming pool this year. The committee had on hand at present some \$2,000 but \$3,000 was required to complete the work and should the council see their way clear to grant this request, the Committee would undertake to refund the money to the City from the proceeds of the Dominion Day Sports next year. The Committee had also suggested that a governing body of five members should take charge of the swimming pool upon its completion, one member to be appointed from the City Council, one from the School Board and three to be elected at the annual Civic Elections.

A motion was passed that the City advance to the July 1st Sports Committee the sum of \$1,000 at the rate of six per cent. interest. The Trustees of the Fund to sign a note on behalf of the Committee.

Considerable discussion came up on the matter of electing three members of the governing body at the civic elections and it was finally decided to advise the Swimming Pool Committee that the Council did not favor the adoption of this suggestion.

A motion was passed that Alderman Tully be appointed a member of the Swimming Pool Committee.

A communication from Premier Oliver together with a copy of the proposed Ten Planning Act was discussed and a motion passed giving the Act the Council's formal endorsement.

Relay race, under 14 yrs.—1st G. Lowe's team, 2nd M. Buchanan's team 3rd A. Bolesky's team.

Three legged race, under 10—Lowe and Hughes, 2nd Brown's team 3rd Hoffman's team.

Elk's wives race—1st Mrs. J. Longdon 2nd Mrs. C. Edgar, 3rd Mrs. J. Carnwath.

Three legged race—1st W. Thomson and partner, 2nd W. Wood and partner, 3rd R. Shorthouse and partner.

Live pig—Catch as catch can—Bob Williams.

Baseball, boys under 15 yrs.—Fernie 15 runs, Coal Creek 2.

Football, boys under 15 yrs.—Coal Creek 2 goals, Fernie 1.

GOVERNMENT MAY ACT

Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 4.—The anthracite wage scale negotiations were broken off at 6.30 o'clock tonight. The motion to adjourn sine die was proposed by C. J. Golden, president of district No. 9, United Mine Workers; was seconded by several operators and passed by the joint committee. The conferees reported they were in complete disagreement on the miners' demands and that further negotiations appeared useless.

John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, submitted a reply to the letter he received yesterday from Samuel D. Warriner, chairman of the anthracite operators' conference, in which the miners' leader said in part: "The mine workers' representatives deeply regret that the anthracite operators have seen fit publicly to announce their refusal to negotiate upon a basis of fact. Public statements of W. W. Inglis and yourself obviously preclude any agreement. The public advertisements of the anthracite operators, given out while the negotiations were in progress, demonstrate that the operators do not propose to make any constructive proposition toward the success of the conference. With these facts in mind, the mine workers' representatives are of the judgment that it is utterly futile to continue further in these wage scale negotiations."

The operators went into a secret caucus for 50 minutes and upon their return they asked Mr. Lewis: "Are we to understand from your letter that in view of our opposition to an increase in wages and the check off you refuse to continue negotiations?"

Mr. Lewis answered yes, according to the account given by Mr. Inglis, chairman of the operators' committee.

"In view of the differences between us," came a second question "do you flatly reject the proposal that all matters in dispute be submitted to impartial arbitration under conditions ensuring, adjudication fair to all parties concerned, and work to continue at present wages pending the result of such arbitration?"

Lewis replied, according to Inglis, quoting from his letter to Warriner to the effect that arbitration would not be accepted.

Mr. Inglis later charged Mr. Lewis with deliberately wrecking the wage conference.

"Mr. Lewis came into this meeting today," said Inglis, "with a fixed intention of breaking off negotiations. His letter to Mr. Warriner was the basis prepared in advance."

Philadelphia, Aug. 4. (A.P.)—With the breaking off in Atlantic City tonight of the anthracite wage negotiations those in close touch with the situation expressed the belief that a suspension of hard coal operations would be ordered by officials of the United Mine Workers upon the expiration of August 31, unless there is intervention of the present wage agreement which is not at present apparent.

The situation tonight is virtually the same as in 1923, when, after the wage negotiations in Atlantic City had failed, a suspension was ordered. Pinchot intervened. Both sides then and remained in effect until Governor agreed to arbitration and as a result the mine workers received a 10 per cent wage increase.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Aug. 4. (A.P.)—When Governor Pinchot was informed by the Associated Press tonight of the break in the anthracite wage negotiations at Atlantic City he indicated keen interest in the news, but declined to state what action he would take in the matter.

"DEUTSCHLAND UBER ALLIES"

John Bell in the Fortnightly Review: If there is one characteristic of the German race which stands out above all others it is its faith in its superiority. This faith was never lost in the darkest hour which followed military defeat. The average German still believed that his country was *uber Alles*. The head of the Reich might be a Socialist, half of the Reichstag might be composed of Socialists, but this did not mean that Germans in the mass had forsworn the lesson they had learnt and that henceforth they would be mild and docile and return to the same state of mind as before the German Empire was founded. On the very morrow of defeat and national humiliation there were influenced at work to dissipate despair and to imbue the people with a greater faith than ever in their destiny.

The girls who paint their faces are usually interested in the boys who paint the town.

LIGHT TREATMENT

The proposed solarium for crippled children to be established on Vancouver Island is really in pursuance of the good results that have been discovered from clinical experience and observation in treatment by light. Even children's mentality improves under the stimulus of light. At the well known institution at Alton it has been demonstrated that a definitely increased response of mental intelligence has followed exposure to light. Sir Henry Gauvain has been describing the action of light on the body. It has, he says, a direct or local effect on the part on which it is impinged. There are also remote effects on deep seated lesions which are most important and are being extensively studied. There is an instance of light rays having entirely removed asthma. All sorts of effects are being produced by the light treatment and some that are not anticipated and cannot be foreseen.

Professor Carl Stone, of Copenhagen, says that light has an absolutely certain effect on rickets, both on spontaneous rickets in man and on the experimental rickets in animals. On tetany light has also a favorable effect. It is curative in the matter of certain forms of tuberculosis and particularly on the so-called surgical tuberculosis. The most favorable effects are experienced from judicious exposure, whereas there may be unfavorable results following excessive doses of artificial light. That is the reason that the movement in favor of a solarium is growing. The experiments have been carried to an extent which show that it is a definite and certain act of mercy which is involved in the provision of homes where the open air treatment can be practised under favorable conditions. Vancouver Island is particularly suitable and the movement for a solarium should be rapidly advanced in the interests of the crippled children of Western Canada.

The British coal crisis has been temporarily solved by the decision of the Baldwin Government to give a subsidy to coal mining pending such time as there is a full inquiry into all the conditions in the industry. This step, an uneconomic one, has been adopted simply because the Government could not permit the paralysis of transport and industry at the present time. The facts of the situation, so far as they have been brought into relief, appear plain. The miners refuse to submit to any wage reductions. They want a minimum wage, and they want to name what it should be themselves. Meantime Britain cannot compete with foreign collieries for the export trade because of her cost of production. Scores of collieries in Britain have been closed since they cannot be carried on without loss.

The inquiry that is to be held during the next six months or so, while a subsidy will be in operation, probably will determine little more than is known at present. While miners in France and Belgium work for lower wages and work longer hours than the British miners, the conditions which brought about the crisis in the British industry will continue. The subsidy plan is now being adopted and it is an exceedingly difficult thing to know how, when once established, it will come to be abandoned. If the coal mining industry can be subsidized there is no legitimate reason why the same bonussing principle should not be applied to agriculture. It is dangerous precedent, one that the taxpayers may tolerate in an emergency but one to which it is exceedingly doubtful they will become accustomed and accept with equanimity. —Colonist.

George: Bessie, there is something the matter with this old tub again. It refuses to go.

Bessie: Use your head, — George. Drive up into that shady lane there. This is too conspicuous here.

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COKE PRODUCTION

Production of coke in Canada during the month of June receded to 109,694 tons from 130,068 tons in May and 131,484 tons in April. The output in June was 16 per cent. less in May, whereas May showed a decline of 1 per cent. from April. A loss in output was reported by all provinces.

Owing to the difficulty of obtaining Canadian coal in Eastern Canada, particularly in Nova Scotia where the coal mines have been closed down for several months due to a strike, the consumption of Canadian coal in the manufacture of coke amounted to only 1,122 tons out of a total of 56,775 tons charged to the ovens. Throughout the industry the consumption of domestic coal in June was reported as 19,566 tons as against 44,481 tons in the previous month and 75,873 tons in April. Foreign coal charged to coke ovens totalled 141,650 tons in June.

Although exports to coke from Canada fell from 4,968 tons to 3,567 tons and imports rose from 45,954 tons the apparent consumption of coke in June amounting to 161,963 tons was 9,091 tons less than in May owing to the loss in output. Coke sales for June at 31,395 tons showed little change from the 31,067 tons in May but the quantity of coke used by the reporting plants or delivered to their associated metallurgical works dropped to 3,364 tons or 12 per cent. under the 38,787 tons reported in the preceding month.

For the first half of the year, 308,681 tons of Canadian coal and 786,474 tons of imported coal were converted into 713,847 tons of coke giving an average yield of 1,304 pounds of coke or 65.22 per cent. per short ton of coal used. During the same period there was imported into Canada 341,056 tons of coke, making a total supply of 1,054,903 tons but exports totalled 26,052 tons, leaving 1,028,851 tons available for use in Canada. During the month Canadian coking plants used 126,156 tons, delivered 349,691 tons to their associated metallurgical works and sold 246,370 tons, making a total disposition of 722,217 tons.

Coke charged to iron blast furnaces in Canada during the first half of the year totalled 322,502 tons.—Saturday Night.

WICKED NOTES

"Indecent music" is forbidden by the statutes of the District of Columbia. The ordinance has been in effect for a long time, but has not been enforced. As a matter of fact, the Washington police were somewhat taken aback when, lately, it was discovered that they were supposed to suppress indecent music. Policemen have troubles enough without having to decide on the comparative respectability of different kinds of music.

Nevertheless, the Washington police agreed that something must be done. An ordinance is an ordinance, and has got to be enforced. So immediate steps were taken to find out what is meant by indecent music. Presumably the author of the ordinance is unknown or inaccessible, or he would settle the question in short order. The only thing to do was to secure the expert opinion of connoisseurs of music.

This, the news items indicate, was done. Different persons explained what they understood by "indecent music."

"You know what I mean," said the assistant corporation counsel, "that hootchy-kootchy sort of intonation."

"I refer," said the head of the D. C. policewomen, "to that tom-tommy sort of oriental music that makes men forget home and babies."

A police captain said: "Any music played on a saxophone is immoral."

And so on. It looks as though the saxophone will have to get a lot of character witnesses. It has a bad name, and when there is a scandal in music the saxophone automatically falls under suspicion. It is at least

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possible that the District of Columbia will presently become the one saxophoneless spot in the United States.

The cancer germs just discovered are so small that they never can be seen with the naked eye even when they are present in enormous numbers in a test tube. The fluid in the tube can never become turbid or milky as occurs in ordinary bacteriological work. The cancer germ is described as appearing as tiny rings "spheroidal bodies," from the sides of which like gems in a setting, small buds grow—"particulate bodies." These buds may extend from the original ring just as flowers extend from the ground on their stalks. The belief is now entertained that such germs belong to a huge family, many members of which cause diseases. The first cousin of the cancer germ causes the pleuro-pneumonia of cattle and

there is reason to think that the germ of influenza, or sleepy sickness, of smallpox and even of measles belong to this group.

She (solicitously): "What did you have for your luncheon today, dear?"

Her Worser Half: "I don't know. I ate at a cafeteria."

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LOOKS LIKE STRIKE IN U. S.

Washington, Aug. 3rd.—Threats of another strike in the anthracite coal field, along with talk of a bituminous strike, have served to direct attention once more to the question of what the Federal Government purposes to do about it if there is a strike. It is currently said that if a strike develops the government will do its utmost and that the President will exert the full power of the executive to settle the strike.

The truth of the matter is that if a strike develops the Government and the public will be found in the same situation as in the past. This is a situation of more or less helplessness. The chances are the strike will be composed after some authority, either the Federal Government or the State

of Pennsylvania, has set in motion some form of mediation. This is better than nothing, but in the past it has not proven very satisfactory from the standpoint of consumers of coal. They have paid for it in shortage of coal in the fall and early winter and in higher prices.

The Government has ample power to deal with the coal situation but it will not exert it, if the course taken in the past is any criterion and it apparently is. Congress has repeatedly neglected or refused to legislate. And the executive authority is by no means inclined to go the limit of its power. It is probable Mr. Coolidge will be as conservative about using his power to stop a coal strike if it comes as his predecessors have been.

Congress is handicapped by decisions of the courts that say mining is not interstate commerce. Hence it is a subject for state regulation. Nevertheless there are things that Congress and the administration could do on the coal question. The Government could obtain and distribute accurate information about coal prices and supply. It could reduce freight rates, could in various ways regulate the movement of coal in interstate commerce, could shut impure and unfit coal out of interstate commerce, and could act in other ways.

It has been repeatedly suggested that it would be entirely feasible for the Government, through the War Department or some other agency, to build up great stores of coal at important centres and that these could be used in time of crisis at once to protect from coal famine and to hold down the level of prices.

But the cry of the conservative influences that the Government must stay out of everything in the nature of business prevents it from taking any action which would go to the root of the trouble.

If it were really believed that the Government would exert the large powers it actually has to stop a strike there would not be the slightest likelihood of one.

Complaint often is made, says the Los Angeles Times, that the rising generation goes in less and less for higher education. But every father who is still receiving bills for his student children contracted during the past school year knows that the steadfast aim of the rising generation is to make education higher and higher.

The falling market for British coal is a falling market at home as well as abroad, but at home it is because of the more widespread use of fuel oil. In 1923, South Wales supplied to the Navy 1,897,250 tons and in 1924 the figure had fallen to 273,750 tons.

OFFICE CAT



Tim Boyce says the softest job in the world is being lineman for a wireless company.

My girl is so up to date that when she heard about the New Testament she wouldn't even read the Old one any more.

Slow moving pictures of moving star divorces are being taken in order that the public can see how it is done.

Opportunity knocks but once, but the stork is not so particular.

There can be no particular objection to the family skeleton, says Chief Anderson, unless it is permitted to wear a bathing suit.

Sunset and evening star, And oh, the joy when we Would lean upon the highly polished bar.

That has now ceased to be. But now that tide is wrapped in sleep.

No longer bearing home The schooners brown and cool and deep.

And topped with foam, Sunset and evening bell And lads bent on a lark.

The while our lusty songs would swell Up through the dark.

Now while I rave at Volstead and his ilk, All joys have fled afar.

I weep as brimming steins of buttermilk Are shoved across the bar.

"Yes, when she wasn't looking I kissed her."

"What did she do?"

"Refused to look at me for the rest of the evening."

Nowadays, it's the blind pig that has nine lives.

"What impressed you most in France?"

"I think perhaps it was the French hands. They played the French Mayonnaise so beautifully."

A radio set has to stand for a lot of rough stuff. This thought came to us while listening to a grand opera a few nights ago.

Have you had an interesting day? Well, the only stirring event so far has been the sweetening of my coffee.

Customer—I want a bottle of carbolic acid.

Clerk—What do you intend to mix take it for?

The modern girl says Jock McAlpine, also believes that "save the surface and you save all."

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Pretty Girl—I live at 515 East, 4th St., now don't you dare to follow me.

The busy man has time to do everything, but the lazy man has no time for anything.

Correct this sentence: "I'd be glad to go to the movie with you, mother, but I haven't finished my geography yet."

Not carrying a fountain pen is a great help toward curing one of profligacy.

Deliver me from taking that girl to a show again. The last time I footed the bill I had to foot it home.

"Few have judgement to wed wisely, under 21," said news headlines. Few have judgement who wed either under or over 21.

Nothing scares a tightwad so much says Paddy Hughes as being named on a committee to solicit funds.

Charley Saunders thinks the female of the species' aim is more deadly than the male's.

When Advertising Didn't Pay A farmer listed his farm with a real estate company. A week later the firm advertised the place that the farmer advertised it for sale. They so elaborated it didn't recognize it as his own. Deciding that it was exactly what he wanted, he visited the real estate office inquiring about it. On consulting the list, the clerk discovered that it was the customer's own farm. When told this the farmer said: "Well, I don't care to sell at all now."

In the cross word puzzles there is frequently a four-letter that spells, fail.

The Little Church. There's a little church in a little town Many a mile from here. That I recall with a smile or frown With a laugh, or maybe a tear.

'Twas there that I was wed: 'Twas there I stood unhappily Beside the silent dead.

'Twas there the parson christened me.

'Twas there I went to Sunday School. Scant studying to do. In the little church in a little town That memory brings to view.

"Fresh air is fatal to germs." Fiddlesticks. What about the golf bug?

The early bird catches the worm, but who'd miss an early morning nap just for a worm?

A Texas surgeon recently amputated a leg by the light of his automobile. Some more reckless motorists have done it without lights.

The woman in politics may no be responsible, but show us a man who still goes around the house in his stinking feet.

No matter how low the thermometer falls, it's never vulgar.

Fable: Once there was a hick town in which the leading citizen was not a millionaire.

Gentleman: (to flapper sitting on his hat) Excuse me Miss, but do you know what you're sitting on?

"Well, I ought to, I've been sitting on it for twenty years."

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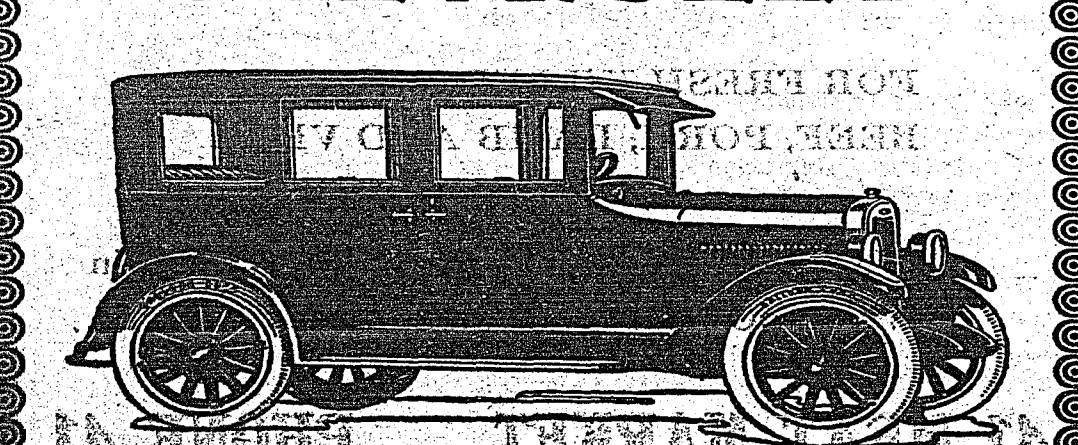
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FISHING AT FERNIE

The following is a continuation of Howard L. Brownless's talk in the Spokesman-Review, on his fishing trip to the Fernie district:

"During the 12 days we were at Fernie my host, John L. Gates, of the King Edward Hotel, 'champion wet fly fisherman of Fernie,' and I fished ten days. Effort was made each day to different fishing spot. Mother and I usually spent the forenoon in motor-ing and sightseeing trips near the town. Fishing jaunts usually started at one or two in the afternoon and lasted until dusk, trips to the fishing localities being made by motor.

Every trip we made was enjoyable, although I learned two or three times that the mountain goat's ability to climb has nothing on these Fernie fishermen. To reach the whirlpool and the big Dolly Varden trout south of Elko we went down a flight of 800 wooden steps cleated to the side of the mountain in a proposed power site project. From there, with teeth, toes and eyebrows we got down the remaining two hundred feet to the fishing spots. On the opposite side of the Elk River the mountain wall was still more precipitous. Coming out, Bob Nolan, sawmill man of Flagstone, who was with us, said it was not necessary to climb the steps, that we would cling to the wall going around the shoulder of the mountain. I watched him do this stunt until he was out of sight, but could not see where he put his hands and feet to make the trip. The mountain seemed to go straight up on the one side, and the whirlpool was straight under him. I decided I would rather be a live newspaper man in Spokane than a drowned human fly in the Elk River, and climbed the steps. I was wet as a rat with perspiration, had to stop two or three times to rest and was never more tired in my life than when I reached the top, but I consoled myself with the thought that I was still alive. We motored around to meet Nolan at the bridge below, where he, grinning, was awaiting us. The elevation of that region is more than 3,000 feet against 1,800 feet at Spokane and that helped to shorten my breath.

"Another time on Morrissey Creek, Gates and Ross Constanzo 'the Valentino' of Fernie, famed as a hunter and fisherman, scaled the mountain to reach a better fishing site and I went in below and in two hours caught so many trout I quit fishing, ate my lunch, smoked and loafed along until they arrived with no more fish than I had.

"On another trip I had brought home to me the treacherousness of the Elk River. To cross one of the channels, the men clasp hands, the end men armed with long sticks to help support them in the torrent. It was in this fashion two years ago the young son-in-law of Matthew Tully, lost his life. Three of them clasped hands to cross the channel, the younger man being on the end. His grasp was torn loose by the current and he was swept to his death. Regarding the affair, Mr. Tully, his eye tear dimmed, said: 'Poor boy, he could swim but little, the current was too much for him. We recovered his body.'

"This day Tully and I clasped hands each armed with a stick. Before I knew it the power of the current had swept me from my feet, torn the stick from me and Tully was slipping. But he regained his foothold, braced his powerful six feet of brawn, held to me and we got out. Gates, who had crossed higher up, viewed the scene in alarm. From his side of the river he got a better view of the channel we tried to cross and said five feet further the current was going at least 15 miles an hour. I remained on the safe side of the river for the rest of the day, where the fishing was not so good, and I made no more efforts to ford the Elk River.

"We caught fish on every trip, although the luck was much better some days than others, and had fish to give away. British Columbia laws prohibit the shipping of game fish out of the Province. Montana also prohibits the shipment of game fish out of the state, without the consent of the game warden. At Libby I found much dissatisfaction because their game warden for Lincoln county resides at Eureka, more than 60 miles away, although Libby is the county seat, a condition that practically prevents visiting fishermen coming into the region unless they are willing to take home only such fish as they can transport with them.

"Wild life is in abundance in British Columbia and Montana, judging by evidence seen in touring. Fresh deer tracks are seen along the streams. Repeatedly I saw grouse and

peasant. South of Rexford on a beautiful stretch of forestry road, some buck deer disputed the road with us in mid-afternoon. One planted himself in the middle of the highway, surveyed the approaching car with much interest, bounded across a wide ditch and again gave us the 'once over' before disappearing in the underbrush. Near Noxon a pestiferous badger persistently ran down the road ahead of the car, slowing our speed and ruffling up his fur to scare us while he glanced sideways to see if we were coming. I did not want to run over him and finally he disappeared in the underbrush.

"British Columbia roads are so good that the Jewett car took all the grades on high. Near Libby I found a stretch of several miles where we had to slow down to five to ten miles an hour, and the same was true for several miles on the road between Troy and Noxon. At Noxon I met a man touring in a large Sedan with his wife and two grown daughters. He told me the roads were fierce to the east and he had come in low from Flathead Lake, was headed for Spokane to have his car overhauled. My experience was that by watching the spark plugs and keeping them clean, no motor trouble need be feared. My total car expense on the trip was 75 cents for having the carburetor and distributor readjusted.

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Take notice that all persons having any claims against the Estate of the above named deceased, who died at Michel, British Columbia, on or about the 30th day of October, 1918, are required to send in particulars of their claims properly verified to the undersigned, solicitors, herein for Joseph Kotek, Executor of the said estate, at Fernie, British Columbia, on or before the 10th day of September, 1925, after which date the said Executor will proceed to distribute and deal with the assets of the said estate, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.

Dated at Fernie, British Columbia, this 7th day of August, 1925.

Lavo & Fisher,

Solicitors for said Executor.

NOTICE

Take notice that all persons having claims against the Estate of Wm. Robinson, late of Elko, B.C., who died at Elko on the 7th day of June, 1925, are requested to file their claims duly verified by statutory declaration with the undersigned on or before the 31st day of August, 1925, after which date the Executrix under the Will of the said deceased will proceed to deal with and administer the estate of the said deceased, having regard only to such claims as then have been filed or of which she shall have received notice.

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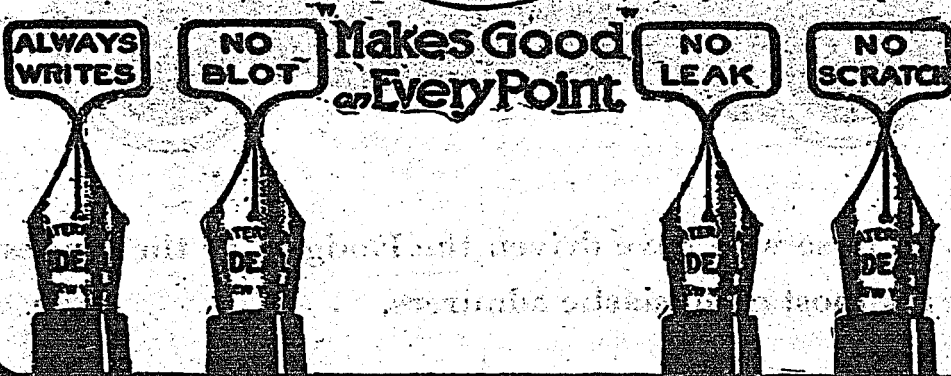
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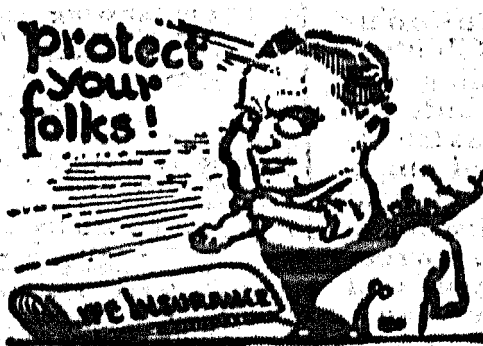
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LOCAL & GENERAL

Hugo Ray, of Vancouver, is the guest of Franklin Bonnell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Harrington are holidaying in Kalispel.

Mayor Irvine returned on Monday from a business trip to Vancouver.

Mrs. (Dr.) Bonnell and family arrived in town on Tuesday from Vancouver, and will reside here in future.

Fred Perry left this morning to join Mrs. Perry who is holidaying at Proctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kennedy returned early in the week from an extended trip through California.

E. K. Stewart will leave in a day or so for Vancouver on a business trip.

Stewart McPhee, of Lethbridge, is spending a couple of weeks holidays in the city visiting his mother, Mrs. M. D. McPhee.

G. F. Johnson, City Auditor has resigned that position as he has accepted a permanent appointment with the Pacific Mines at Vancouver.

Jimmy Stark returned to the City Wednesday morning from the coast where he had been spending a few days vacation.

Do not forget the wrist drive and dance in the Catholic Hall to-night, Friday, August 7th. Cards at 8.30 sharp. Dancing 11 to 1. Admission 50 cents. Come and have a good time.

Harry Cox, Manager of the Fernie-Fort Steel Brewing Co., has purchased the residence recently occupied by Claude O'Neill. The building is being thoroughly overhauled and put in first class shape.

The Trites-Wood Co. have entered an action against The Grain Belt Construction Co. to recover some \$8,198. The Grain Belt Construction Co. is the concern that has the charter for the Calgary Fernie Railway.

J. A. Broley returned early in the week from a trip to Montana, where his company have the contract for the construction of several miles of highway for the state.

The monthly Guild tea of Christ Church will be given by Mrs. G. G. on Thursday, Aug. 13th, from 3.30 to 5.30 at her residence in the park, 6 p.m.

Mount Fernie Lodge I. O. O. F. and Esther Rebekah Lodge held their annual joint decoration day here Wednesday evening. The members of the two lodges met at the Oddfellows Hall and proceeded to St. Margaret's cemetery, where, after the preliminary service, floral tributes were placed upon the graves of the departed brothers and sisters of both lodges.

318 auto tourists passed through the Fernie auto camp during the month of July and it is very gratifying to read some of their remarks put in the camp register. Fernie may well be proud of her camp and the citizens should do all the year to support the Board of Trade which organization is responsible for the camp upkeep. The tourists certainly appreciate the work done and it is very interesting to read their remarks in the register. This of course is open to the inspection of all visitors and the citizens are asked to kindly take an interest in this work, which brings added revenue to the merchants of the city.

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Mrs. S. Jennings, of the Waldorf Hotel is seriously ill.

Joseph Austin returned on Monday from a trip to Vancouver.

The Moose held a very successful dance on Saturday evening.

The regular monthly meeting of the Womens Missionary Society will be held on Wednesday, at 8 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Dicken.

Philip James name was accidentally omitted from the list of those who were promoted to the High School in our last issue.

The Ladies Imperial Orchestra, the female branch of the Imperial Radio Orchestra, are playing for a dance at the Victoria Hall on Friday, Aug. 21st.

The Fernie Intermediate baseball team revenged their defeat here two weeks ago when they played the Cranbrook seniors at Cranbrook last Sunday and won by a score of five runs to four in an exciting game of baseball. Sofko hurled for Fernie and Findlay for Cranbrook.

The M.F. & M. Railway have this week added a new motor car to their equipment. The new car will seat about sixty passengers and will be used on the line for special trips. This is the third time that the Company have put on a car of this kind, but hitherto they have not been a success owing to misrepresentation on the part of the manufacturers, however this car is equipped with 200 horse power engines and it is thought that it will be able to make the hill.

Last Sunday's thunderstorm put a crimp in the baseball game between Fernie and Kimberley. The teams on the ground and a fairly good crowd gathered to see the game when the storm broke but after delaying the game about an hour an attempt was made to play.

Kimberley were retired in quick order in their half of the first and then Fernie scored two. In the second innings the rain started to come down in torrents and the fielders were having a hard time to hold their feet on the ground. Kimberley scored four runs before they were retired. Fernie came to bat and with only one man out had scored three runs and had three more on bases when the umpire called the game. The score then stood five runs to four in favor of Fernie.

There will be a meeting to-night of those interested in swimming pool business at 8 o'clock in the Council Chamber. The City Council have decided to borrow the money for the committee to finish the work so everything should be soon rushed to completion. The city will charge the committee the regular rate of interest. It is quiet evident that the City Fathers do not intend to assume any monetary responsibility in connection with the pool. Just at the present time with the Home Bank liability to take care of there is of course every excuse for this attitude, but in a few years time when that is taken care of there is no excuse in the world why the City should not assume the full responsibility for its operation. Be sure and be on hand at the meeting to-night at eight o'clock.

Staff Wilson and a number of players of the local ball team motored to Lethbridge to lookover the baseball prospects in that city. There was a double-header on the boards that day between the Staveland and Lethbridge teams and as Fernie is supposed to be lined up against the champions of that particular district in the Alberta championship matches the boys were anxious to find out how well they will have to play to win out. Lethbridge won both the games in question and a match was arranged with their team for Sunday, August 16th. There is a lot of trouble in baseball circles in Alberta over the Calgary combine and a number of the teams have signified their intention to drop out of the fight, among them is the Lethbridge aggregation, and the result is the game played here on the 16th with the team from that city will only be an exhibition match.

JUNIOR CLERK'S EXAMINATION

Junior Clerk's Examination for the Civil Service of British Columbia, will be held on Saturday afternoon, Aug. 28th, 1925. For application forms and other information apply to the nearest Government Agent, or to W. H. MacInnes, Civil Service Commissioner, Victoria, B.C. Aug. 7-2t

E. M. Phillips, Chiropractor, J. & F. Block. Office hours: 9.30 to 12; 2.30 to 5.00. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 7 to 8 p.m. Phone 244. Examination Free.

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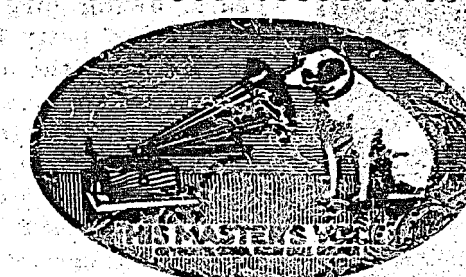
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WHO IS RESPONSIBLE

Who is responsible for the increase of juvenile delinquency in Canada? The parents.

So says Mr. Justice A. K. Dysart, of the Court of King's Bench for Manitoba, and a resident of Winnipeg. Chiefs of Police in various Canadian centres, viewing the problem from different angles, reach supporting conclusions. A famous western Roman Catholic educationist, Brother Joseph, of St. Boniface, corroborates them.

Judge Dysart used pointed words in buttressing the keen and most understandable analysis of criminal statistics that has been worked out in Canada. He says:

"They, the young, are gaining very rapidly over all elements of our population, in contributing to crime, and are creating a problem of national importance. The oncoming citizenship of our country seems much more criminally inclined than the out-going."

I am convinced that it is not "society" but the homes that are to blame.

Pursuing this view, he asks: "In what particular has the home failed? and answers himself with this: "I would say in relaxation of paternal discipline, and in the neglect of personal supervision over the rising generation." The so-called emancipation of women from the "bondage" of the home has been followed by a corresponding emancipation of the children from the control and discipline of the parents, and is one of the most potent factors in the growth of those conditions from which youthful delinquency and crime develop. This body of conditions, this criminal matrix (if I may use such a term), is fostered if not actually created by the indifference, the lassitude, the neglect, or what you might call it, the failure of parents to fully perform their duties."

In coming to figures Judge Dysart uses those of 1923, the latest year for which he could get complete detailed records. He pays little attention to terms like "innumerable petty offences which come up daily in the police courts." These constitute nearly 90 per cent. of the crimes in Canada, over 135,000 of them being recorded for the year. There has been a rapid increase in these offences in recent years, owing largely to the multiplication of petty by-laws and the increased activities of the police forces.

It is to the major crimes that he directs special attention, and here, it may be remarked, that his figures, in all instances, relate to convictions for specified crime. They take no account of crimes recorded but in which there were withdrawal of charges, failure to make charges for lack of sufficient evidence, or failure to prove accused persons guilty. Of these major crimes there were 15,188 in which adults were charged, and 4,165 committed by juveniles, that is by people under 21 years of age. Of the total 25 per cent. were crimes of impulse or passion committed on the spur of the moment and 75 per cent. were crimes of deliberation, carried out after more or less planning.

"The crime of theft predominates," the judge says. "Simple theft, that is theft unaccompanied by violence, constitutes 52 per cent. of all serious crime committed by adults and 84 per cent. of juvenile crime. If the thefts accompanied by violence are added, the total runs up to 58 per cent. for adults and 94 per cent. for juveniles."

Nine out of ten of the criminals are men, and the younger males contribute the greater portion of these. To emphasize his point he works it out in a number of tables and figures. Condensed these figures show that the proportion of criminals among juveniles

lies ten to sixteen years of age is one to 87 of population; among youths 16 to 18 years of age one to 76; while among men 20 to 40 years of age, it is one to 108, and among men 40 to 100 years of age, one to 245.

He still gives another survey of it in these words: "Forty per cent. of our male criminals are under 20 and 50 per cent. are under 25 years of age. Sixty per cent. of them are unmarried, 80 per cent. of them are from our towns, and sixty per cent. of them seem to have no regular business. There are nearly as many actual criminals in the eight boyish years between 12 and 20, as in the 20 adult years between 20 and 40, and more in the four years immediately under 20 than in the sixty years immediately following 40."

Judge Dysart, as in the quotations already made, is insistent in the placing of the responsibility for the bringing about of a better state of affairs. The "society" that some so glibly blame for conditions he urges is the aggregate of the units which compose it, the families of the land, and he goes on: "The influence of family is, or should be, strong to guide the children for some considerable time after they have left home to enter into the world of affairs. Charged as they are by the laws of God and nature, to train their children in the way they should go, parents have a responsibility and cannot escape it. The laxity of all other parents is not an excuse. Each pair of parents is responsible primarily for the upbringing of their own offspring."

Chief Constable A. G. Shute, of Edmonton, in a paper read before a recently held convention, took the same ground. The prevention of crime is a favorite topic with him; one of his cardinal theories is that preventive work should begin with the young. "There is," he said, "a tendency on the part of the parents to leave their children too much to themselves without any supervision over their actions in their spare time." He advocates inculcating a love of clean sports, but adds that the parents and other adults who undertake to train the youngsters physically and mentally, must set good examples themselves in right living. "Many boys," said Chief Shute on an earlier occasion, "can trace their start in a career of crime to a lack of respect for other people's property. This, which in the beginning really amounts to nothing more than mischief, is not corrected, with the result that the child goes from bad to worse." He is a great believer in the work of many of the friendly and social organizations formed in the last few years by business men and having definite aims and objectives in respect to work among boys in particular.

Staff Inspector McKinney, of the Toronto force, who has had a long experience, reaches a similar conclusion. "Respect for the rights of others" has often been emphasized by him, as a principle, the teaching of which is abrogated to the Sunday and secular schools. In the former, he said on one occasion, the time is so limited and the percentage of attendance is so small, that it is impossible for children to get the necessary amount of instruction, and in public schools that form of instruction is not on the program.

Chief of Police Chris. H. Newton, of Winnipeg, in his last annual report while stating that the general increase in crime was slight, declared that there was a marked increase in crime committed by women during the year. He also comments upon the increase in juvenile delinquency; a total of 410 boys and 139 girls between the ages of 16 and 20 years faced the police magistrate in the year. "The average criminal to-day is the boy of 17 and 18, at the most either 20 or 21 court years, girls of even more tender years, boasting to their friends, and parading themselves in an effort to show how closely they can stick to their criminal pals."

Rev. Brother Joseph, spoken of previously, addressing a gathering of police chiefs, was not inclined to put much weight on the claim sometimes made that children were by heredity addicted to crime. His experience was that environment had much to do with it. "Why do we need police chiefs?" he asked "because often times the home, sometimes the school, and sometimes the church itself do not do their full duty, and then the police chiefs have to do the larger share."

D. A. Noble, of Sydney, no Nova Scotia, Chief of the British Empire Steel Corporation police, believes that in his district a principal cause of growing lawlessness among the young "the chief offenders being mere lads," is due, apart from the neglect of the home, to the teaching of revolutionary doctrines in the Communist Sunday Schools. "This," he added, "is a free country, but I do not think that freedom of that kind allows the youth

WON'T STAND FOR NUDE

Geneva, Aug. 4.—Indignant burghers of St. Gall, a tiny village on the shores of Lake Constance, have been mollified by the finding of the Steckburn magistrate that the cult of nude sunbathers which has risen in their midst is not the immoral association of wantons that the poor burghers suspected it to be.

Forty members of the Club of Eden, some men and some women, recently were herded together by the police, compelled to don some clothes and then were taken away to the magistrate to be judged for the crime of going about sans clothes or shame, to the extreme embarrassment of less natural citizens of the community. It developed at the hearing that the club is religious and of Protestant creed, and that its members freely preach a return to nature.

For some months the club has grown unmarked by the St. Gall villagers but just before the arrests occurred the members discarded discretion along with their garments, and promenaded boldly on the more frequented paths that wind about the lakeside hills. Club meetings occurred on weekends only and the holiday had brought others to the paths. These others, well dressed themselves, were shocked at the spectacle of nude men and women strolling arm in arm through the forests and the cult was exposed to the police.

When arraigned for trial, the 40 were unrepentant. They explained that entire families belonged to the club and indulged in its rites which were designed to realize a heaven on earth. Their peaceable reunions, it was explained, consisted of prayers and fervent sermons.

So far as abandoning covering for their bodies was concerned, the 40 respectfully referred the magistrate to the Bible and then provided their own interpretation of the Book of Genesis to prove that garments are useless.

The defendants earnestly endeavored to obtain judicial sanction for future nude gatherings, but they finally admitted it would be best to wear clothes.

of our land to be taught disloyalty to our King and country, is the kind that our forefathers, and many of the present generation fought and died for."

The statement of a veteran official in the Tombs, New York, that the greatest change in that famous prison in the last thirty years, is the youth of the inmates, has furnished the text for homilies by a number of Canadian newspapers. The young of Canada, says Mr. Justice Dysart, are gaining very rapidly over all elements of our population in contributing to crime, and are creating a problem of national importance.

E. W. Howe's Monthly: We Americans often laugh at the Hindus, who engaged in a desperate mutiny, and butchered many people, because they were asked by the English to bite off cartridges greased with cow tallow. Now the Hindus are laughing at us: we are rioting because our most learned men prepared school books, and ask us to use these books in the schools. The Hindus say the cow is sacred. It is not the only absurd story in the world.

"Well, I'll set it up in the other alley," said the tomat as a shoe bounced off his head.

COAL AND PETROLEUM NOTICE

Fernie District of Southeast Kootenay

Notice is hereby given that within sixty days (60) from date hereof I intend to apply to the Minister of Lands for a licence to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands, Lot No. 1186, Southeast Kootenay.

Dated the 18th July, 1925.

C. J. Wallingford.

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The storage dam will be located at S.W. corner of lot 361. The capacity of the reservoir to be created is about 20,000 cubic feet, and it will flood about one acre of land. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about N.E. corner Sub Lot 9, Lot 361, and will be used for domestic, steam and log pond purposes upon the land described as Sub Lot 4 of 361.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 30th day of July, 1925. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act, 1914," will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Fernie, B.C.

Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria B.C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper.

The date of the first publication of this notice is Friday, August 7th, 1925.

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SYNOPSIS OF LAND ACT AMENDMENTS

PRE-EMPTIONS

Vacant, unreserved, surveyed Crown lands may be pre-empted by British subjects over 18 years of age, by aliens on declaring intention to become British subjects, conditional upon residence, occupation, and improvement for agricultural purposes.

Full information concerning regulations regarding pre-emption is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series "How to Pre-empt Land," copies of which can be obtained free of charge by addressing the Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., or to any Government Agent.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes, and which is not timber land, or carrying over 1,000 feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 1,000 feet per acre east of that range.

Applications for pre-emption are to be addressed to the Land Commissioner of the Land Recording Division, in which the land applied for is situated, and are made on printed forms, copies of which can be obtained from the Land Commissioner.

Pre-emption must be occupied for five years and improvements made to value of \$10 per acre, including clearing and cultivating, at least five acres, before a Crown Grant can be received.

For more detailed information see the Bulletin "How to Pre-empt Land."

PURCHASE

Applications are received for purchase of vacant and unreserved Crown lands, not being timberland, for agricultural purposes; minimum price of first-class (arable) land is \$5 per acre, and second-class (grazing) land \$2.50 per acre. Further information regarding purchase or lease of Crown lands is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series "Purchase and Lease of Crown Lands."

Mill, factory, or industrial sites on timber land, not exceeding 40 acres, may be purchased or leased, the conditions, including payment of stumpage, being as follows:

HOME SITE PAYMENT

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as home sites, conditional upon a dwelling being erected in the first year, title being obtainable after residence and improvement conditions are fulfilled and land has been surveyed.

LEASES

For grazing and industrial purposes areas not exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or a company.

GRAZING

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PHYSICIAN GIVES ADVICE

Physicians to the body sometimes give advice to the soul from their large experience, and of these was "the Grand Old Man of British Medicine," Sir Clifford Allbutt, the Regius Professor at Cambridge University, who went decently to prove his belief in God and a hereafter. His writings, we are told, won him a wide reputation. Once, after he was eighty years old, he ventured into the pulpit of St. Edward's church in Cambridge, and of the sermon he preached then the following notes were printed after his death. We quote from the Churchman (Episcopal):

"I desire from the retrospect of a long life, to give you some thoughts on religion from a layman's point of view. Comparing the religious teaching I used to hear when young with that I hear today, it seems hardly possible that both could be put forth by the same church. The change is largely due to an alteration in the relations of religion to science. To me as a scientist man the supposed conflict between science and religion never caused any alarm. It would be wicked to forget that reason is a faculty given to us by God Himself, and that Christianity itself must move with the great current of human thought and development. We feel even when we have no emotions that rise into rapture a stirring within our hearts, continuous and certain, which claims to rule our lives. Like the inborn gifts of skill in art or music, it may be developed by cultivation or extinguished by neglect. If we cultivate it, we come to recognize in it the influence of an indwelling God. Even outside the pale of Christianity that inner influence is felt by many holy men.

"If Christendom will abandon its two-thousand-year-old habit of internal controversy, and concentrate itself upon developing this inborn sense of the indwelling God, it will attain to its ancient and fundamental aim of Christian unity.

"In the slums of London I have wandered through crowds of unruly

and profane people, and have asked myself if such as they could be children of God. I have afterwards learned from Salvation Army officers that many of these slum people would give their last shilling to a friend in distress, or would take in a sick neighbor and support him out of their own earnings.

"Religion, thus, is not a matter of rites and ceremonies. I concede that there are many persons to whose feelings of devotion these are helpful or indispensable. Yet many others, like myself, find within the plain walls of a whitewashed room a more direct access to God. Prayer is not a thing only for fift hours or for sacred places. In the street or the railway station or the market-place you may breathe a momentary prayer, and you will feel happier for a whole hour afterwards. There is nothing incongruous in a silent aspiration raised to God whilst you are selling ribbons in a shop or advising clients in an office or prescribing at a patient's bedside."

"A naturalist, too, found nothing incongruous between his branch of learning and faith in God. In the Washington Evening Star we read that the late Prof. Henry Oldys, a naturalist connected with the Smithsonian Institution, wrote in his will: "In leaving this world I do so with the prayer and hope that some day it may appreciate the priceless legacy bequeathed to it by Jesus, and thus be led to that perfect system he offered, whose basis is love and faith, whose keynote is entire abandonment of self-interest, and whose object is the establishment upon earth of the highest ideal of social organization—the Kingdom of God."

Victoria—A new record in the salmon pack of British Columbia is set by the figures for 1924, contained in the annual report of the Commissioner of Fisheries just issued. The pack last season totalled 1,745,313 cases, 400,000 cases larger than any pack in the last five years and exceeding the previous record of 1918 by 129,166 cases. This increase is due almost entirely to the pack of pink and chums, constituting 77 per cent of the whole. There was a slight increase in the pack of sockeyes.

The value of the fishery production of the Province for 1923 amounted to \$20,795,914 out of the Dominion's total of \$42,568,545 or almost forty-nine per cent. The output was two and one half times as much as that of Nova Scotia, the second in rank. The value of the halibut fisheries in 1923 was \$2,353,552 more than in 1922, and as the catch of 1924 was 2,979,200 pounds larger than that of 1923, the figures of value, when prepared, will show a great increase. The pack of dry salted herring in 1924 also exceeded that of the previous year by over 10,000 tons.



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LARGEST LOCOMOTIVE

The world's largest locomotive for passenger-car service has just been completed at the shops of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company at Mount Clare, and put on exhibition along with an engine built at the same shops in 1899, contrast with which will illustrate the advance of thirty-five years in locomotive construction. The older engine, a notable vehicle in its day, is a pigmy beside the modern giant, which has a total wheel base, including tender, of 89 feet and weight of 659,000 pounds with driving wheel more than six feet in diameter. An official bulletin gives sundry technical details of construction, and adds:

"When put into use this new locomotive will be operated over the mountain divisions between Washington and Grafton, West Virginia, and between Washington and Pittsburgh, hauling heavy passenger-trains that now require auxiliary or helper engines on the steep grades. It will be the only engine that can haul twelve passenger-cars over the steep mountain-grades, and it is expected that through the use of this new type of locomotive, the necessity for using pusher or helper engines will be obviated.

"The actual design of this engine was started about the first of the current year, and orders were placed for the material required in its construction. It required only thirty working days to build this new 'Man-of-War' of the railroad, work being started on it May 16 and it was completed last Saturday, June 20.

"All of the most modern devices so far successfully developed are embodied in the engine's construction, such as power reverse gear, air-operated cylinder cocks, pneumatic bell-ringer, duplex stoker, superheater, low-pressure compound air-pumps, drifting valves, pneumatically operated fire door, etc.

"The finished locomotive presents a beautiful appearance and is representative of the highest class design, material and workmanship. It is the opinion of experts who have seen the engine that no better-looking locomotive was ever turned out by any of the largest locomotive-building companies in the United States."

TRUE HEROES

Wickham Steed in the Review of Reviews (London): There are undoubtedly critical days and years in store for the country. Transition periods are always marked by the strain discomfort and loss that accompany processes of readjustment. But we believe that there is no warrant for imagining that the country is necessarily going downhill or that the native virtues of the people have deteriorated. If, in June, 1914, any seer had predicted that this country would be capable of the sacrifice and the sustained effort which it bore and made between August, 1914, and November, 1918—which, in truth, many sections of the people are still bearing and making with almost unconscious heroism—he would have been laughed at as a dreamer of wild dreams. Little by little, the people will realize what has to be done for their own and the country's salvation, and little by little they will do it, grumbling or joking as is their wont, until other nations find that, in every branch of human endeavor, England still holds a place second to none.

Senator Hubert, writing in Revue Hebdomadaire, of Paris, says: "The Japanese appear to have lost all recollection of their pristine warlike valor and achievement. It is true that every effort is being made to revive the military spirit, but it would seem that only a menace from the outside will ever succeed in unifying the disintegrated national elements. Whence will that menace come? It would seem that Nippon is preparing for it. Since 1924 the Army and the Navy have been reorganized at all points. Reductions in man power have corresponded with increases in material, and if the Japanese Navy has only 350,000 tons in dreadnaughts (!) their quality and capacity are undeniable, while her efforts to construct a great aviation force are not to be despised."

A report presented to the minister of Labor by the general superintendent of Government Employment Service states that unemployment was not as prevalent during the early part of 1924 as in corresponding periods of previous years. While later on many conditions led to the congregating of large numbers of unemployed men in the coast cities and some distress conditions were not such as to necessitate any extensive relief measures.

The arrangements for sending men to the harvest fields of the prairie and to the fruit growing districts of this province, and described as having proved very satisfactory. With reference to the handling of fruit crops the superintendent states that the problem of labor is a serious one. The low prices obtained by growers has compelled a low rate for fruit-pickers. Where the work is close to the homes of the pickers and they can live there the problem is not so great but where pickers have to camp or board they expect a much greater return for their labor than the industry is able to pay.

THE MAN IN THE STREET

La Patrie: The City Council has just put into force the new traffic regulations, certain provisions of which have for their object the prevention of accidents. It is obvious that these provisions can have no effect unless the municipal authorities take the necessary steps to ensure respect for them. There is the stipulation, for example, that at those places where they can cross the thoroughfares, namely the street intersections, the pedestrians have the right-of-way over vehicles. This is the reverse of the current practice. It is common knowledge that the motorist has come to regard the road as his own preserve, and that he will not turn aside much less slow up for the passage of a pedestrian. It will be interesting to see the practical effect of the proclamation on the rights of the pedestrians.

Now that they're going to kill all the reindeer and can the meat Santa Claus will have to make his rounds in a fiver.

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Quick Quaker Oats, Aluminum, per pkt.....35c

Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 3 pkts for.....35c

Shredded Wheat, 2 pkts for.....25c

Pacific Milk (B.C. Product), Talls, 7 tins for.....95c

Braid's Best Coffee, Fresh Ground, 2 lb for.....\$1.35

King Oscar Sardines, 3 tins for.....50c

Kipperd Snacks, 8 tins for.....25c

Libby's Pineapple, 1-2's, sliced or grated, 2 for.....35c

Libby's Pineapple, 2 1-2's, sliced.....40c

Sunshine Peaches, 2's, 30c, 2 1-2's.....40c

Sunshine Pears, 2's 35c, 2 1-2's.....45c

Monarch Pickles, Gem Jars, each.....55c

Heinz Baked Beans, small 2 for 35c, med. 2 for.....35c

Heinz Tomato Soup, 2 for.....25c

Heinz Peanut Butter, Large jars.....40c

Sunlight Soap, 8 pkts for.....65c

Royal Crown Soap, 8 pkts for.....60c

Sunny Monday Soap, 9 bars for.....50c

Red Rose Tea, 1lb pkt.....65c

Quaker Tomatoes, 2 1-2's, 5 for.....95c

Quaker Corn, 16 oz. 2 tins for 35c, 6 tins for.....95c

U.S. Early June Peas, 2's, 5 tins for.....95c

Licorice, Allsorts, per lb.....35c

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ADDITIONAL LOCALS

Miss Margaret Duncan visited in Spokane this week.

An addition is being added to the Catholic Church Parish Hall.

The Misses McKenzie, of Calgary, are the guests of Mrs. James Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Mills and the children returned from Seattle this morning where they spent a month's holidays.

The work on the city streets is proceeding rapidly. Baker Avenue will be graded and oiled in about a week's time.

J. A. Stewart, Provincial Assessor at Cranbrook, and Harry Hayne, returned yesterday from a trip to the Flathead. They went in by way of Montana.

The local police office is in possession of a sum of money which was found tied up in a handkerchief. The owner can have same by proving property.

Assistant Supt. W. Owen, of Vancouver, and Inspector Wm. Dunwoody of Nelson, are Fernie visitors to-day. The visit of these gentlemen reminds us that in looking over police affairs generally throughout the Province, Fernie seems to be pretty well represented at headquarters and elsewhere. Chief Inspector McMullin is an old resident of this town and lived here for many years, his chief assistant W. Owen was District chief here for a long time and Bill Dunwoody is lonesome all the time he is away from Fernie.

For Sale.—Magnet Separator, nearly new, cheap. Apply Wm. Minton, Box 103, City.

TENDERS

Tenders will be received for painting the School House on the outside, one coat, also painting the roof, one coat. All paint and oils will be furnished by the school board. For further particulars address the Secretary of the School Board, Homers, B.C.

All tenders to be in by August 15, 1925.
Dated at Homers, B.C., Aug. 4th, 1925.

SETTLEMENT AGREED UPON

Halifax, Aug. 5.—The miners of Nova Scotia employed by the British Empire Steel Corporation agreed by a majority of 1133. In a plebiscite to-day, to return to work under the proposals of the provincial government. There were 6493 votes polled, many of the miners abstaining from the balloting. The directors of the corporation, meeting in Montreal today to consider the same terms, characterized by the government, when they were presented last Friday as "final proposals" adjourned to meet again tomorrow.

It is still undecided, therefore, whether or not there is to be an early resumption of work, which, as proposed by Premier Rhodes and his cabinet, will be under an interim, six months' contract pending a thorough investigation of the industry. Wages paid will not be those of 1922, or a reduction of 8 to 8 per cent. from the 1924 rates, and working conditions would be those of 1924. The government would rebate one-fifth of the coal royalties, and the controversial checkoff system of union dues being collected by the company would be submitted to a referendum held by the government.

Final figures will probably show some slight changes, but the approximate results were given by the United Mine Workers' headquarters in Glace Bay tonight. The large southern areas of Cape Breton, New Waterford excluded, gave a majority of about 700 for the proposals. New Waterford turned them down by about 160 votes and Pictou county did likewise by a narrow margin of 10. Cumberland county gave a majority of 384 votes, and the northern Cape Breton areas a majority of 151. A notable vote against was that at Reservoir, in the southern area, 69 for and 313 against.

The local School Board are having some trouble in securing a teaching staff for the High School. The Board should spare no pains to secure the best talent available as Fernie does not want to take a back seat in the matter of education.

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